

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Urban and Local Affairs**

##### **Assembly Bill 580**

Relating to: objecting to property tax assessments.

By Representatives Gottlieb, Sinicki, Bies, Fields, Hahn, Jeskewitz, A. Ott, Richards, Tauchen, Turner, A. Williams and Zepnick; cosponsored by Senators Coggs, Plale, Breske, Cowles and Olsen.

November 13, 2007 Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

November 27, 2007 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (9) Representatives Gottlieb, LeMahieu,  
Gunderson, Lothian, Pridemore, Berceau,  
Turner, Hintz and Parisi.  
Absent: (0) None.

##### Appearances For

- Mark Gottlieb — Representative, 60th Assembly District
- Peter Weissenfluh, Milwaukee — Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers
- Kathy Romanak, Waterford — Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers
- Joyce Frey, Fitchburg — Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers
- Steven Schwoerer, Oshkosh — Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers
- Jeff Schoepke, Madison — Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce
- Don Millis, Sun Prairie — Attorney
- Jack Norman, Milwaukee — Institute for Wisconsin's Future

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Michael Birkley, Madison — Wisconsin Property Taxpayers, Inc.
- Spencer Coggs — Senator, 6th Senate District

- Ed Huck, Madison — Wisconsin Alliance of Cities
- Jolene Plautz, Madison — Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers
- Scott Winter, Milwaukee — Wisconsin Association of Assessing Officers
- Curt Witynski, Madison — League of Wisconsin Municipalities

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

December 4, 2007

**EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD**

Present: (8) Representatives Gottlieb, LeMahieu, Gunderson, Lothian, Pridemore, Berceau, Turner and Hintz.

Absent: (1) Representative Parisi.

Moved by Representative Turner, seconded by Representative Gunderson that **Assembly Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Gottlieb, LeMahieu, Gunderson, Lothian, Pridemore, Berceau, Turner and Hintz.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Parisi.

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,**  
Ayes 8, Noes 0

Moved by Representative Gunderson, seconded by Representative Turner that **Assembly Bill 580** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (8) Representatives Gottlieb, LeMahieu, Gunderson, Lothian, Pridemore, Berceau, Turner and Hintz.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Representative Parisi.

**PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED,** Ayes 8, Noes 0

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Darcy Paulson  
Committee Clerk